GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
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PURCHASE OF COMPUTERS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the details of excise duty paid by Electronics Trade and Technology Development Corporation for the purchase of computers during the last four years;

(b) the companies from which the computers were purchased;

(c) whether proper procedure was followed while purchasing computers;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e): if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

(SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN)

(a): Electronics Trade and Technology Development Corporation(ET&T) has paid the excise duty for assembly of computer and TV at its Bhiwadi Plant as per details given below:-

Year	Amount(Rs.)
1995-96	4,47,667/-
1996-97	10,67,935/-
1997-98	32,97,778/-
1998-99	10,37,791/-

In addition to assembly of computers at Bhiwadi Factory, ET&T also procured computers from local vendors on duty/tax paid basis.

(b): A list of vendors for supply of computers to ET&T is enclosed at Annexure.

(c),(d) and (e): The coporation generally adopts the following procedure:-

1 .Purchase at competitive prices after obtaining three offers except for proprietory items and emergency purchases.

2. Screening and evaluation of the offers by the Purchase Committee.

3. Approvals by the Purchase Committee for orders within the delegated financial powers.

4. Approvals by the higher competent authority where the purchase is above the financial powers of the Committee.

5. Purchase are made against the specific orders from customers.

A few cases where deviations from the approved procedure has been noticed are currently being examined by the Company.

LIST OF VENDORS

1. M/s. ACE MICRO ELECTRONICS, NEW DELHI

2. M/S ASCENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS, NEW DELHI

3. M/S AUTOMATION SYSTEM, NEW DELHI

4. M/S C R INFOTECH, NEW DELHI

5. M/S EDX ELECTRONICS, NEW DELHI

6. M/S GROWTH COMPUSOFT EXPORTS, AHMEDABAD

7 M/S GRAPHTEK INDIA, NEW DELHI

8. M/S I&M SYSTEMS, NEW DELHI/BANGALORE

9. M/S INDOCON COMPUTERS, NEW DELHI

10. M/S INFOTECHNIC, NEW DELHI

11. M/S IRIS COMPUTERS, NEW DELHI

12. M/S O A COMPUSERVE, NEW DELHI

13. M/SQUANTUM SYSTEMS, NEW DELHI

14. M/S SIEMENS, NIXODROFF, NEW DELHI

15. M/S THAKRAC COMPUTERS, NEW DELHI

16. M/S TRIFFIN TECHNOLOGY, NEW DELHI